

FORCED TO GIVE UP RAILROADING

George Sharpe Says He Was In Bad Shape Before Taking Tanlac—Feels Fine Now.

"My health got so bad I had to give up railroading, but since taking Tanlac I could fire an engine as good as any man on the C. and O.," said George P. Sharpe, 1628 Tremont St., Fairmont District, Cincinnati, Ohio, a valued employee of the Lukenshimer Co. Mr. Sharpe was formerly with the Chesapeake and Ohio Railroad for seven years.

"About four years ago I had an operation which finally resulted in a general breakdown. I got to where I couldn't eat anything without bloating up so bad I could hardly breathe and the constant jolting of the engine almost put me out of commission. My nerves gave way, I could hardly stand the noise of the train, and sleep was next to impossible for me. I fell off a great deal in weight, and had so many dizzy spells I could hardly stay on the job. Although I tried medicine after medicine, nothing did me any good, so about six months ago I had to change to lighter work.

"But I don't believe I could have held out at this long if I hadn't got better. But Tanlac helped me right from the start, and it wasn't long before it had my stomach working fine, just like the old engine I used to fire. I eat anything I want now and nothing gives me the least trouble, and my nerves are in such good condition I sleep like a log every night and get up mornings feeling fine. In fact, I am again in perfect health, just as strong and well as I ever was, and I want to say Tanlac is what fixed me up. I wouldn't think of being without it."

Tanlac is sold in Cloverport by Wedding's Drug Store, in Kirk by Mattingly Bros., in Addison by L. D. Addison, in Ammons by Wm. H. Dutschke, and in Stephensport by R. A. Shellman.—Advertisement.

MOVING PLYMOUTH ROCK.

Plymouth Rock is to be moved again, for the fourth time in its history. The contract has been let for taking it back to its original position on the great granite base on the shore level, which is seven feet below the present site.

It was in 1774 that the Rock was first moved from its original site. On that occasion a twenty yoke team of oxen was hitched to the stone and it was hauled up to the Town Square of

Plymouth to serve as a base for a flag pole. In 1823 occurred the second moving day, this time the stone being taken to Pilgrim Hall, where it remained until about forty years ago, when it had its third translation to the site known to the present generation. During this last moving the Rock was split into three pieces. These have been cemented together, a condition that will necessitate great care in its final journey back to the "point or place of beginning."

This one of the tasks undertaken by the Pilgrim Tercentenary Commission, which also proposes to remove from the canopy of the Rock the supposed bones of some of the Pilgrims who died in the first year after the landing at Plymouth and to bury them on Coles Hill, the original burial ground where the bones of other Pilgrims who died in that first year also lie. The Tercentenary Commission has established Coles Hill as the permanent Pilgrim burial ground, thus disposing of the proposal to remove elsewhere the bones buried there. With the contemplated transformation of the Plymouth waterfront into a park as a permanent Pilgrim memorial there should be an appropriate setting for Plymouth Rock. It is to be hoped that with its return to its original site it will carry with it all the traditions of that distinctive and remarkable New England spirit which has spread into every part of our land and into our insular possessions; to their spiritual and material benefit, a spirit which so long as it endures will make for the betterment of our country and of mankind.—N. Y. Herald.

THE BUCKWHEAT CAKES.

I fell in love with Millicent
And almost told her so.
I was entranced with Gladys, too.
And called myself her beau.
For Mabel, Maud and Madge my heart
Endured distressing aches,
Until I met Janet and her
Ambrosial buckwheat cakes.

All smoking hot and feather light
And delicately browned,
Well buttered and with honey drenched
She brought the tasty mound.
I ate and ate and asked for more;
Henceforth for chops and steaks
I had no wish, my appetite
Demanded buckwheat cakes.

If she had been less young and fair
It would have been the same,
The hand that flipped the buckwheats was
The hand I yearned to claim.
I wedded her, alack! alas!
How oft we make mistakes,
It was her mother, not Janet,
Who baked the buckwheat cakes.
Minna Irving.

U. S. LIKES AMERICAN POULTRY

American Class of Poultry Are Found Best For General Purport Fowls.

In the American class of poultry are found the Plymouth Rock, Wyandotte, Java, Dominique, Rhode Island Red, and Buckeye.

The fowls of these breeds are commonly called general-purpose fowls, because they are not only good egg producers but their carcasses are also well suited for the table. They are therefore the best breeds for the general farm flocks of chickens, say poultry specialists of the United States Department of Agriculture. They are in good favor, too, with the poultry packers on account of their table qualities.

All the American breeds lay brown-shelled eggs. They all have yellow skins, and shanks free from feathers, which are desirable qualities for table fowl in this country. In size they are intermediate between the smaller egg breeds, such as the Leghorns, and the larger meat breeds, such as the Brahmas. In temperament they are also intermediate, being less active than the egg breeds, but more so than the meat breeds. They are fairly good foragers. The American-class birds mature earlier than the meat breeds, but not so quickly as the egg breeds. They are sitters and make good mothers.

NEWS FROM THE COUNTY

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Cannelton, are visiting their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Walls. Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Dutschke spent the holidays with Mr. and Mrs. B. V. Lewis.

Miss Katherine Curry entertained a crowd of young people, Friday night. Mrs. Wm. Beauchamp, of Mystic, was in Stephensport, Friday.

Mr. Steve Mattingly was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Curl, Saturday. Mrs. Laura Eskridge and James Morgan spent Christmas day at the Morgan Hotel, Stephensport.

Several Christmas trees were given for the benefit of the children of the community.

Orval McCoy came home from Louisville, Saturday.

HARNED

Mrs. Kate Tucker has returned from Louisville, where she has been visiting relatives. She was accompanied home by her grand-daughter, Miss Jessie Tucker.

Mr. and Mrs. Bryan Miller and baby, Robert Board, of Hardinsburg, spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Robert Weatherford.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Macy went to Sample, Friday to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Milt Tate.

Mr. and Mrs. Steve Pullen, of Madrid, spent a few days of last week with Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Gray.

Mrs. G. T. Robinson and baby, Robert Stith, of Murray, are visiting her sisters, Mrs. D. T. Penick and Mrs. C. C. Brock.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Crume and sons, Raymond and D. R., were guests of Mrs. S. M. Crume, Saturday.

Miss Jacie Alexander, who is teaching at Irvington, spent Christmas with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Alexander.

Mrs. Henry Basham is ill at this writing.

The Ladies Missionary Society of Ephesus congregation met Monday afternoon.

Miss Flora M. Alexander, who is attending school here, spent Christmas with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Alexander, of Mook.

Miss Leland Butler, of Frankfort, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Butler.

LOCUST HILL

Mrs. Alvin Mingo, who has been on the sick list for a few days is better.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Davis, Dec. 21, a girl.

Mrs. Sarah Kinnison has moved from near Woodrow, to Evie Carman's.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Allen and children, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Davis, last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Phinis Shiley and son, of Mook, were the guests of her sister, Mrs. Fred Davis, and Mr. Davis Thursday night.

George Gray was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Davis, Saturday night. Fred Davis and Bill Butler were in Custer, Thursday.

J. W. Davis was in Hardinsburg, Friday.

Miss Ossie Davis, of Woodrow, was the guest of her aunt, Mrs. J. W. Blair, and Mr. Blair, Friday night.

BEWLEYVILLE

Miss Mary Richard Carman was the week-end guest of Miss Mary Elizabeth Dowell.

Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Hardaway were dinner guests Saturday of Mrs. Lucy Heron.

Mrs. R. P. Carman and Miss Mary R. Carman will leave this week for Hardinsburg, where Mary Richard will enter school.

Miss Laura Mell Stith entertained several young people Monday. Those present were: Misses Louise Hardaway and Violet Shumate, Messrs. Ben Wilson, Percy and Pelham Foote, Billy Bandy and Thos. Hardaway.

Miss Mary Louise Hardaway, of Frankfort, and Thos. Hardaway, of Indiana, arrived Thursday to spend the holidays with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Hardaway.

Misses Wilda Triplett, of New Albany, and Marian Compton, of Garfield, spent the Christmas holidays with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Triplett.

The young people had a rook party

at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Compton. Those present were: Misses Wilda, Lela and Lucy Triplett, Marian Compton, Laura Mell Stith, Mary Dowell and Mary Richard Carman. Messrs. Percy Foote, Ben and Duke Wilson, Harold Triplett, Chas. C. Hardaway, Richard Johnson, William Drury and Lewis Lawson.

Mrs. E. P. Hardaway and Dr. J. M. Walker attended the funeral of Dr. W. A. Walker, at Hardinsburg, Friday.

Mrs. Sam Gross and children spent the holidays with her parents, Dr. and Mrs. J. M. Walker.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Carman, Miss Mary R. Carman, Nina Kasey and Fannie Miller attended the Christmas tree at Guston, Saturday night.

Mrs. C. D. Hardaway spent Friday with Mrs. Zack Stith.

Z. T. Stith and Geo. Compton were in Hardinsburg, Monday having dental work done.

Miss Laura Mell Stith spent last week with Mrs. C. D. Hardaway, of Stiths Valley.

Burn Dowell and family have moved to her mother's, Mrs. T. Dowell. Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Foote and Mr. and Mrs. James Wilson and family spent Sunday with Mrs. W. C. Jolly.

Miss Maggie B. Jolly spent Saturday night with Mrs. Geo. Compton. The Home Telephone Co., men are repairing the line. They are boarding in town.

Mrs. Ad. Foote has returned home after a short visit to her son, Everett Foote and family.

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Head, of Irvington, have been recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. M. T. Chappell.

Miss Mary Louise Hardaway, of Frankfort, and Thos. Hardaway, of Indiana, are expected Friday to spend the holidays with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Hardaway.

GARFIELD

Mr. Ples Wood was the guest of his son, A. M. Wood, and Mrs. Wood, Saturday night.

D. H. Smith, C. S. Board and Jim Jones were in Louisville, last week.

Robert Cox, of Iowa, spent the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Cox.

Misses Elizabeth and Judith Squires are guests of relatives in Cloverport.

Mr. L. D. Gregory, Miss Nancy Board and Mr. C. S. Board, were entertained at the home of Mrs. Belle Byrn, Christmas Day.

Miss Miriam Compton is visiting Miss Wildie Triplett, at Bewleyville.

Mrs. Frank Payne, of near Irvington, was the guest of her mother, Mrs. Mary Nicholas, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wannie Macy, of Texas, are visiting his father, Mr. Jess Macy.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Kennedy and sons, Elza B. and Lessie; Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Dowell and little daughter, Lucile; Mrs. Gracie Norton and son, Glen, were guests of Mr. Levy Norton, Sunday.

Miss Cora May Tabor is at home from Bowling Green.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer McCoy and baby, of Illinois, are visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. By McCoy.

Fred Carman, of St. Louis, is visiting relatives here.

The public school term closed Thursday with Miss Ruth Harned principal and Miss Louise May, of Webster, as assistant.

The trustee gave a very complimentary talk in honor of both teachers.

Mr. and Mrs. Clint Davis, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Dowell, Mr. and Mrs. Nat Whitworth and children, were guests of their mother, Mrs. Martha Macy, Christmas day.

Mrs. Fannie Bruner has returned to her home after a visit at McQuady.

Mr. Harned, of Boston, was here last week taking up ties.

Little Miss Myrtle Ater, of Raymond, who has been with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Taylor Compton, and attending school here will return to her home this week.

Charlie Pool, of Louisville, was at home for the holidays.

Forrest Thornhill, of Indianapolis, is visiting his mother, Mrs. Thornhill.

Ernest Pool, of Nebraska, is with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Pool.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Dowell and son, Arthur, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Kennedy and sons, were guests Saturday of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Norton.

Mr. and Mrs. V. B. Mattingly were in Louisville, last week.

Mrs. Mary Jane Johnson, of Custer, visited relatives here last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Waggoner were guests of relatives at Hardinsburg, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Compton, of Madisonville, are visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Taylor Compton.

Mrs. Laslie and daughter, Hannah J., are visiting relatives at McQuady.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Brunning and children, of Freedom, spent Christmas with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Autin Legrand.

CLOSE OF SEASON GOOD TIME TO MAKE FARM INVENTORY

With another season of farm work fast drawing to a close, the United States Department of Agriculture is urging that an annual property list or inventory be made by every farmer.

It is the only means, department specialists say, whereby farmers may know accurately their net financial worth, what progress they are making from year to year, and how their investment in farm property is being distributed. Property lists, or inventories, made in accordance with a plan outlined in the Office of Farm Management, United States Department of Agriculture, are not difficult to make and are of great value to any farmer who is striving to better his condition, overcome obstacles to success, and place his business affairs on a secure foundation. To drift along year after year, not knowing whether toward success or failure, is not the practice of business men. Specialists of the department are prepared to give complete directions for making a farm inventory that will put the farm on a business basis.

RUBBER WEATHER

IT'S Arctic and Boot Weather these days and we can supply you with rubber or felt boots, Arctics and Overshoes for all members of the family. See our fine line of Ball-Band Rubber Boots.

Arctics, \$1.25 and up; Boots, \$3.75 and up

Every one a good one

These are arctics you can depend on—"Ball-Band" Arctics with the Red Ball Trade Mark. Well-made, easy-fitting, long-wearing and comfortable. Every man needs a pair of good arctics.



"BALL-BAND"

The "Ball-Band" special vacuum process by which the rubber is forced into the fabric gives the additional endurance for which "Ball-Band" Rubber Footwear is famous. Make your choice of styles.

MEN'S WINTER SUITS and OVERCOATS REDUCED

Our entire stock of Hart, Schaffner & Marx and other fine lines of Men's Clothing has been greatly reduced.

Our \$50.00 Suits are now \$37.50

Our \$40.00 Suits are now \$30.00

Our \$37.50 Suits are now \$28.50

Our \$27.50 Suits are now \$21.00

All extra trousers reduced One Fourth. Unionalls reduced from \$6.00 to \$4.89.

B. F. BEARD & CO.

HARDINSBURG, KY.

24 YEARS AGO

In Cloverport, December 23, 1896.

Miss Margaret Skillman arrived home from Oxford, Ohio, Saturday to spend Christmas.

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Mr. Austin Beavin, one of the oldest citizens in the county died at his home near this city, Monday night.

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Miss Maggie Bowmer after an extended visit to friends and relatives in Owensboro and Henderson, returned home Tuesday.

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William Tinius and Miss Bertie Hawkins will be married tonight at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Caleb Hawkins.

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The young ladies have organized a Cooking Club. They are as follows: Misses Aliene Murray, Elizabeth Skillman, Maggie and Bettie Bowmer, Jennie Warfield, LaFayette LaHeis, and Mayme Griffith. Mesdames C. B. Skillman, S. S. Watkins, Geo. W. Short, C. W. Moorman, J. B. Randall and Wm. Smart.

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Miss Lattie Moorman has secured a nice private school and will teach over J. D. Babbage's store.

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Foster Lyons, Irvington and John Dyer, Buras, were in town last week. Mr. Dyer is a candidate for jailer on the Democratic ticket.

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The will of Mrs. Eliza Holt was admitted to probate in the Daviess county court at Owensboro, last Monday. Her brother-in-law, Chas. May is named as executor.

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Brandenburg—On Dec. 30th, at 3 o'clock P. M. Mr. George Woolfork, of East St. Louis will wed Miss Bertha Lewis, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Lewis.

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Holt—Mrs. Wm. Head, 81 years of age died Dec. 18th 1896 at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Walker Board. She was buried in Walnut Grove cemetery near Lodi.

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Jolly Station—William Jennings Bryan Miller, is the name of the new boy, who arrived in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Miller, and he is probably the most fortunate young fellow on earth. He has seven living grandmothers. Mrs. Dorcas Lyons, 88 years old, Mrs. James Delarquette, 70 years and Mrs. Millie Pate, 70, great, great grandmothers; Mrs. Martha Hendrick, Mrs. Mollie Delarquette, great grandmothers; Mrs. Bettie Ball and Mrs. Jane Miller, grandmothers.

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Hardinsburg—Born to the wife of Frank Shellman the 17th, a boy.

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Prof. Roberts, of Meade county and Prof. Kerrick will take charge of the Breckinridge Normal College, Jan. 1.

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Louisville Market Reports—Choice country butter per pound 12, fresh

eggs per dozen 18c, Hens per pound 7c, Irish potatoes per barrel \$1.00, Navy beans per bushel 23c, sorghum molasses per gallon 20c.

ODD ITEMS FROM EVERYWHERE

Arthur G. Staples, of Lewistown, Me., has an umbrella, which he bought 34 years ago. It has an ivory handle, on which is carved a monkey munching a nut. It is a large noble and abse and is still serviceable, although afflicted with what its owner diagnoses as "ankylosis of the ribs."

Some time ago a public funeral was accorded by villagers of Zofingen, Switzerland, to a hen that died immediately after laying its thousandth egg and a granite tombstone was afterward erected by them over its grave.

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Patrick H. Naughton, of Harrisburg, Penn., known as the model landlord, who not only refused to raise rents of his numerous properties during the war period, but lowered them, has set aside in his will 10 of his houses in which the families of worthy blind may be permitted to live rent free.

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String and twine to the value of \$3,000 a year is gather by the rascals of Paris from the rubbish boxes in the public places of that city.

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Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Bland of Robertsville claim the parents' championship of North Carolina, if not of the country, with 34 children of whom 28 are still living. Of the children 21 are boys and there were two sets of twins. Mr. Bland is 65 and his wife 63. Nine of the children were born in the last 10 years.

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Mrs. A. Viola Smith, who has been named secretary to Julia Arnold, American commercial attache in Peking, is so far as known, the first woman to be appointed to a place in the foreign trade service of the United States.

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Dances will be allowed at the Northwestern University in Evanston, Ill., hereafter, providing the chaperone certifies after the dance that there was no shimmying.—Boston Globe.

Read What U. S. Dept. of Agriculture Says About What 2 Rats Can Do.

According to government figures, two rats breeding continually for three years produce 359,709,482 individual rats. Act when you see the first rat, don't wait. RAT-SNAP is the surest, cleanest, most convenient exterminator. No mixing with other foods. Dries up after killing—leaves no smell. Cats or dogs won't touch it. Sold and guaranteed by Conrad Payne & Co., Cloverport, and B. F. Beard & Co., Hardinsburg.—Advertisement.

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EDGAR BASHAM MARRIED

Stephensport, Dec. 29 (Special)—Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Basham have received the announcement of the marriage of their son, Edgar Basham to Miss Sarah J. Meggison, of Alexander, Ill.

ANNOUNCEMENT

On and after January 1, 1921 I am going to adopt a cash system for selling merchandise. I will sell for cash only. I am doing this for two reasons. One is it will place me in position to sell you goods from 10 to 15 per cent less than I can sell them now. The capital it takes to carry long standing accounts compels a merchant to sell goods for a larger per cent of profit. Besides it enables the man that pays cash to buy his goods a great deal cheaper and the man that buys on credit can borrow money and save from 6 to 10 per cent by paying cash. And another thing it eliminates all errors that are liable to happen in book keeping.

Second, it will do away with the work and expense of keeping books which adds largely to the overhead cost of doing business. As I am going to adopt the cash system would ask that everyone who is indebted to please make their arrangements to settle all accounts by the 1st of the New Year 1921.

I am sure it will mean much in dollars and cents to both parties concerned.

I want to thank my many friends and customers for past favors and solicit your valuable patronage in the future.

E. A. HARDESTY, Stephensport, Ky.

BARGAINS IN FARM LANDS FOR SALE

No. 1. 52 acres, adjoining city limits of Cloverport, mostly all second bottom land with some first bottom. Has a good four-room house with hall, good stock barn, and other outbuildings. Price \$4,000, one-half cash, balance in two annual payments.

No. 2. 80 acres, 3 1-2 miles from Tell City, Ind. The farm will have rock road built thru it next summer. Has 30 acres good creek bottom land, and the ridge land is good wheat land. There is a coal bank now running on one corner of the farm. There is a good farm house, stock barn 40x80 and other outbuildings. There is plenty of water. A school-house is within 1-4 mile of the farm. On account of bad health of the owner he is trying to sell. Price \$2,600, one-half cash, balance to suit purchaser.

No. 3. 135 acres, 2 1-2 miles from Tobins Landing which is just across the river from Cloverport, Ky. Has about 60 acres good strong rolling land, the balance is rather rough; all is under fence with lots of good cross fencing; has about \$1,000 worth of merchantable timber on the farm; has good apple orchard and other fruit trees. Improvements consist of a good seven-room two story house, with hall both up and down stairs, and cellar underneath. The house is furnished with a splendid lighting plant which gives ample light. There is also a good stock barn, corn crib, cellar with cellar house over it, and another old house which would make a good tenant house if repaired. The place has four cisterns, one well which has a windmill over it. The following goes with the farm at the price: Two good five year old mares in foal, 45 head of sheep, one cow and calf, 7 head of hogs, 10 acres of corn, 2 acres of tobacco, several tons of hay, and all farming tools, including a good wagon and enough wood to run all winter. The price for the entire stock and farm is only \$5,500, with one-half cash and balance in four annual payments. This place is a rare bargain.

For further information inquire of

J. D. SEATON, REAL ESTATE DEALER
Cloverport, Ky.